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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
Washington, DC 20240

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Ms. Mia Charity
Chief Development Officer
Close Up Foundation
1330 Braddock Place
Suite 400
Alexandria, VA 22314

Dear Ms. Charity:

I am pleased to award \$1,000,000 to the Close Up Foundation through the Office of Insular Affairs' Technical Assistance Program for the *2021 Close Up Insular Area Program*, as detailed in your proposal submitted on April 1, 2021. This grant is intended to provide civic education programs for students and teachers from each of the U.S. territories and the freely associated states.

The grant award documents will be sent to you by the OIA grant manager, Ms. WeiHao Jennifer Feng. She can be reached at (202) 208-6974 or WeiHao_Feng@ios.doi.gov if there are any questions or concerns.

I look forward to working with you and your staff to implement this grant.

Sincerely,

Nikolao Pula
Acting Assistant Secretary
Insular and International Affairs

cc: The Honorable Carmen G. Cantor
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